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MINISTRY OF LAW  
(Legislative Department)

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THE ANTI-CORRUPTION LAWS (AMENDMENT)  
ORDINANCE, 1967

No. 3 OF 1967

Promulgated by the President in the Eighteenth Year of the  
Republic of India.

An Ordinance further to amend the anti-corruption laws.

WHEREAS Parliament is not in session and the President is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of article 123 of the Constitution, the President is pleased to promulgate the following Ordinance:—

1. (1) This Ordinance may be called the Anti-Corruption Laws (Amendment) Ordinance, 1967.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

Short title  
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mencement.

Amendment of anti-corruption law in relation to certain pending trials.

2. (1) Notwithstanding—

(a) the substitution of new provisions for sub-section (3) of section 5 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1947 (hereinafter referred to as the 1947-Act) by section 6(2)(c) of the Anti-Corruption Laws (Amendment) Act, 1964 (hereinafter referred to as the 1964-Act); and

(b) any judgment or order of any court,

the said sub-section (3) as it stood immediately before the commencement of the 1964-Act, shall apply and shall be deemed always to have applied to and in relation to trials of offences punishable under sub-section (2) of section 5 of the 1947-Act pending before any court immediately before such commencement as if no such new provisions had been substituted for the said sub-section (3).

(2) The accused person in any trial to and in relation to which sub-section (1) applies may at the earliest opportunity available to him after the commencement of this Ordinance, demand that the trial of the offence shall proceed in the state at which it was immediately before the commencement of the 1964-Act and on any such demand being made the court shall proceed with the trial from that stage.

(3) For the removal of doubt it is hereby provided that any court—

(i) before which an appeal or application for revision against any judgment, order or sentence passed or made in any trial to which sub-section (1) applies is pending immediately before the commencement of this Ordinance, or

(ii) before which an appeal or application for revision against any judgment, order or sentence passed or made before the commencement of this Ordinance in any such trial, is filed after such commencement,

shall remand the case for trial in conformity with the provisions of this section.

S. RADHAKRISHNAN,  
President.

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S. P. SEN-VARMA,  
Secy. to the Govt. of India.